MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE ON IRAN AND SUDAN FORBIDDEN ENTITIES ILLINOIS INVESTMENT POLICY BOARD ("IIPB") Thursday, January 18, 2018

Present: <u>Committee Men</u>	<u>nbers</u> William Atwood
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Mitchell Goldberg Richard Ingram

<u>IIPB Staff</u> Monica-Kaye Gamble

Guests Shannon Bond, ISBI

Absent: <u>Committee Member</u> Michael Mahoney

Martin Noven

ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 PM. The roll was called and a quorum was present.

Following the taking of the roll Mr. Atwood recognized Ms. Monica-Kaye Gamble to the meeting, and welcomed her as the IIPB's new Executive Director

DISCUSSION OF CHANGES IN SUDAN/IRAN RESTRICTIONS

Discussion commenced among the committee regarding changes in recognition of Sudan and Darfur by the Federal government, and whether such changes by the Federal Government might cause the IIPB to amend its List of Forbidden Entities. Ms. Gamble advised that based on her research, the Federal Government has taken no action that might cause the IIPB to adjust the List of Forbidden Entities.

DISCUSSION OF IDENTIFICATION OF FORBIDDEN ENTITES RELATED TO CURRENT SUDAN/IRAN RESTRICTIONS

Based on information transmitted to the Board and the recommendation of the Executive Director, the Committee recommended that the Board remove the firm Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha, Ltd. (" "K" Line") from the list of Forbidden Entities.

DISCUSSION OF SUDAN/IRAN LIST VENDOR

The Committee discussed the relationship between the IIPB/ISBI/Glass Lewis/ISS. Members of the committee expressed concerns regarding failure of ISS to fully disclose perceived conflicts of interest related identification of companies that boycott Israel. The Committee agreed that this was a

meaningful topic for discussion, but given that matter included issues beyond the scope of the Committee, the discussion should be tabled until the meeting of the full Board.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

NEXT MEETING DATE

The Committee agreed that its next meeting would be held in conjunction with the next Board meeting, which was yet to be scheduled.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Ingram moved, and Mr. Goldberg seconded a motion to adjourn at 1:05 PM. The motion passed unanimously and the meeting adjourned.